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## POLICY BRANCH INFORMATION

## **Actions Taken**

The Commission, by its International Bureau, took the following actions pursuant to delegated authority. The effective date of these actions is the release date of this Notice, except were an effective date is specified.

SAT-LOA-20040803-00153 E S2635

EchoStar Satellite L.L.C.

Launch and Operating Authority

Withdrawn Effective Date: 08/25/2004

Nature of Service: Direct to Home Fixed Satellite, Fixed Satellite Service

SAT-MOD-20040623-00120 E AMSC-1 Mobile Satellite Ventures Subsidiary LLC

Modification 08/23/2004 - 04/06/2014

Grant of Authority Effective Date: 08/23/2004

Nature of Service: Mobile Satellite Service

Granted with conditions, Mobile Satellite Ventures Subsidiary LLC's ("MSV") request, File No. SAT-MOD-20040623-00120, to modify its existing authorization, SAT-MOD-20020107-00013 (Call Sign AMSC-1) to specify operations at the 100.95° W.L. orbital location. MSV is authorized to operate its AMSC-1 satellite at the 100.95 W.L. orbital location in the 1530-1559 MHz (downlink), 1631.5-1660.5 MHz (uplink), 10.75-10.95 GHz (downlink), 13.0-13.15 GHz (uplink) and 13.2-13.25 GHz (uplink) frequency bands, in accordance with the terms, conditions, and technical specifications set forth in its application, this Attachment and the Federal Communications Commission's Rules. Action on this application is without prejudice to possible enforcement action in connection with operations of the AMSC-1 satellite prior to this action. By Chief Satellite Engineering Branch.

SAT-MOD-20040628-00124 E S2622

HISPAMAR SATELLITES.S.A.

Modification

Grant of Authority Effective Date: 08/26/2004

Nature of Service: Direct to Home Fixed Satellite

On August 26, 2004, the Policy Branch granted the application (File No. SAT-MOD-20040628-00124) filed by HISPAMAR SATELITES, SA. to modify the conditions placed on the inclusion of the AMAZONAS-1 satellite (S2622) located at the 61° W.L. orbital location, which is licensed by Brazil, on the Federal Communications Commission's Permitted Space Station List ("Permitted List"). Accordingly, the AMAZONAS-1 satellite is now authorized to provide Direct-to-Home (DTH) service to, from, or within the United States. The remaining conditions for inclusion of the AMAZONAS-1 satellite on the Permitted List remain in effect. Accordingly, the AMAZONAS-1 satellite must be constructed, launched, and placed into operation in accordance with the technical parameters and terms and conditions of the original grant (File No. SAT-PPL-20040402-00073) including the time periods specified therein.

On August 12, 2004, Hispamar Satellites, S.A. informed the Federal Communications Commission that the AMAZONAS-1 satellite (S2622) located at the 61° W.L. orbital location, which is licensed by Brazil, was launched on August 5, 2004 and the frequencies associated with the satellite have been brought into use. See Letter from Donald M. Jansky, Jansky/Barmat Telecommunications, Inc. Representatives of HISPAMAR to Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary, Federal Communications Commission, dated August 12, 2004. Accordingly, the Satellite Division has determined that Hispamar has completed the launch and operation milestone associated with the grant of Hisparmar's request for inclusion on the Commission's Permitted Space Station List, File No. SAT-PPL-20040402-00073 and File No. SAT-MOD-20040628-00124. (See Policy Branch Information, Actions Taken, Public Notice, Report Number SAT-00222 (rel. June 18, 2004). Accordingly, Hispamar is no longer required to maintain the bond associated with this grant.

SAT-STA-20031215-00356 E S2448

SES Americom, Inc.

Special Temporary Authority

Grant of Authority

Effective Date: 08/24/2004

Nature of Service: Fixed Satellite Service

Granted SES Americom extension of special temporary authority to operate its Satcom C-1 satellite for a period of six months through June 17, 2004 at 37.5°W. L.

SAT-STA-20040614-00115 E S2448

SES Americom. Inc.

Special Temporary Authority

Grant of Authority

Effective Date: 08/24/2004

Nature of Service: Fixed Satellite Service

Granted SES Americom, Inc. extension of special temporary authority to operate its Satcom C-1 at 37.5° W.L. through December 17, 2004.

## **Dismissal**

SAT-PDR-19991217-00128 ECHOSTAR NORTH AMERICA CORPORATION S2231

EchoStar Satellite L.L.C. has withdrawn this Petition for Declaratory Ruling. See Letter from Counsel, EchoStar Satellite L.L.C. to Secretary, Federal Communications Commission (August 5, 2004).

For more information concerning this Notice, contact the Satellite Division at 202-418-0719; TTY 202-418-2555.